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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed on June 27, 2001, please
consider the following remarks. Applicants submit herewith a Petition to Extend Time
to respond for a period of five months up to and including December 27, 2001
accompanied by the appropriate fee.

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On June 27, 2001 an Office Action was mailed in which the Examiner issued a restriction requirement in connection with the above-identified *Reissue Application*, however, as set forth in §1450 of the MPEP, the Examiner may not require restriction in a reissue case. Applicants submit herewith a copy of the return postcard stamped by the Patent and Trademark Office indicating the documents filed with the Reissue Application including a copy of the Reissue Patent Application Transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

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